

### **What will I learn?**

- Animal feeding
- Preparing animal accommodation
- Animal husbandry
- Understand and deal with animal health matters
- Understand animal behaviour
- Health and safety in the workplace

### **How will I learn?**

The course is a partnership between secondary schools and Coleg Meirion Dwyfor, Glynllifon and is the equivalent of 2 GCSEs.

You will spend a full morning or afternoon at Glynllifon site.

Your school will arrange free transport to and from Glynllifon.

This course is a mix of practical and classroom tasks and you will get a chance to prepare and practise your skills before you are assessed.

There will be a requirement to do some of the coursework away from the college.

### **What will I need?**

Dedication and discipline to work conscientiously and safely in a workplace environment  
Personal Protective Equipment (safety boots, overalls and a white coat)

### **How will I be assessed?**

You will produce work which is assessed by your course tutor and the examination board.

### **What happens after this course?**

At the end of this course you can choose to follow either of the following pathways:-

- Full time Level 2 or Level 3 course in animal care at Glynllifon
- Follow one of a variety of academic or vocational courses at one of Grwp Llandrillo Menai sites.
- Work in the animal care industry

### **Career Ideas**

- Vet nurse
- Animal welfare officer
- Animal trainer
- Zoo or wildlife park manager or worker
- Pet shop or animal retail shop manager or worker